GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3798
ANSWERED ON:18.04.2000
NATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION
CHANDRAKANT BHAURAO KHAIRE

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of complaints received by National Human Rights Commission about the Police excesses since its inception; and

(b) the steps being taken against the erring officials in this regard ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

(SHRI CH.VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a) The total number of complaints pertaining to the police excesses, received by the National Human Rights Commission since its inception in 1993 and up to 31.01.2000 is 68,,690 approximately.

(b) `Police` is a state subject. However, whenever cases of human rights violation by the police came to the notice, appropriate action is taken by the concerned Government , after following due processes as prescribed in the concerned Acts and Rules.